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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the following information is brought to the Examiner's attention.

U.S. Patent No. 1,736,959.

To assist the Examiner in entering the foregoing information into the record, the above-noted document is cited on the attached form PTO-1449.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of the listed U.S. patent is not enclosed since it is no longer required according to the July 11, 2003 wavier of the requirement for copies of cited U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications in national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003 and international applications entering the national stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 after June 30, 2003.

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The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the foregoing information and to acknowledge such consideration by initialling, signing and returning the enclosed additional copy of form PTO-1449.

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